







**ANNUAL REPORTS**  
**OF THE**  
**Town of Tamworth**  
**New Hampshire**



**For the Year Ending**  
**January 31, 1918**



352.07428  
T15  
1918

# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

# Town of Tamworth

New Hampshire

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending January 31  
1918

---

MANCHESTER, N. H.

PRINTED BY THE JOHN B. CLARKE CO.

1918





# Directory

---

## *Selectmen.*

JAMES WELCH.                      ARTHUR L. MASON.  
ROBERT C. SPAULDING.

## *Treasurer.*

HARDRESS L. WIGGIN.

## *Town Clerk.*

ADDISON R. ROBINSON.

## *Tax Collector.*

CHARLES C. SMITH.

## *Moderator.*

SAMUEL A. HIDDEN.

## *Highway Surveyors.*

WILLIAM H. PERKINS.              ERNEST S. MASON.  
SUMNER H. GILMAN.              FRANK P. EVANS.

## *Supervisors of Check List.*

CALVIN C. KNOWLTON.  
JEREMIAH C. GOODWIN.  
FREDERICK L. STEELE, JR.

## *Chief of Police.*

ANSEL CUMMINGS.

*Dog Constable.*

WILLIAM A. HILL.

*Board of Health.*

EDWIN REMICK, M. D., Secretary.

*Auditors.*

FRANK P. EVANS.

SAMUEL O. KIMBALL.



# Town Warrant

---

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

[ L. S. ]

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Tamworth, in the County of Carroll, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house in said town on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise **for repairing highways** and breaking snow for the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairing and building bridges, and make appropriation for the same.

5. To see if the town will vote to accept state aid as provided for in section 4, Chapter 35, Laws 1895.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seventeen hundred forty-one dollars and fifty cent (\$1,741.50 for continuation of construction of Osipee-Meredith road.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for maintenance of trunk lines.

8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for railing dangerous places along highways in said town.

9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for decorating soldiers' graves.

10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise in addition to the amount required by law for the support of town library.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for painting the town house and library building.

12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars for laying a new floor in the town house.

13. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the highway leading from the main highway near residence of Charles Clough to the summer residence of William G. Thompson.

14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars to be expended in the work of preventing the spread of white pine blister rust.

15. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

16. To see if the town will vote to raise the salary of the town treasurer to seventy-five dollars.

17. To see if the town will vote to exempt from taxation for a period of five years a garage building and equipment of Virgil D. White, should the aforesaid party open such a business in Tamworth.

18. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 18th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eighteen.

JAMES WELCH,  
ARTHUR L. MASON,  
ROBERT C. SPAULDING,  
*Selectmen of Tamworth.*

A true copy of Warrant. Attest:

JAMES WELCH,  
ARTHUR L. MASON,  
ROBERT C. SPAULDING,  
*Selectmen of Tamworth.*

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Real estate, resident .....	\$428,010.00
Real estate, non-resident .....	615,982.00
Horses, 261 .....	29,656.00
Mules, 2 .....	300.00
Oxen, 28 .....	2,540.00
Cows, 314 .....	16,753.00
Neat stock, 31 .....	2,103.00
Sheep, 45 .....	224.00
Hogs, 8 .....	300.00
Fowls, 275 .....	270.00
Vehicles and automobiles, 91 .....	17,455.00
Portable mills, 7 .....	1,650.00
Wood and lumber, not stock in trade .....	340.00
Municipal bonds and notes .....	2,000.00
Money on hand or at interest .....	7,563.00
Stock in trade .....	32,248.00
Mills and machinery .....	4,100.00

---

\$1,161,494.00

Tax rate \$1.90 per \$100.

Resident assessment less polls .....	\$9,790.32
Non-resident assessment .....	12,278.00
Polls, 263 .....	526.00

---

\$22,594.38

## APPROPRIATIONS.

State tax .....	\$2,108.00
County tax .....	2,481.40



Highways .....	\$4,000.00
Bridges .....	2,500.00
Maintenance Trunk lines .....	900.00
Whittier Road construction .....	1,680.00
Railing dangerous places .....	100.00
Town library .....	100.00
Memorial Day .....	15.00
Town charges .....	1,000.00
Interest on long term notes .....	99.75
Interest on Cemetery Trust funds .....	122.67
Interest on school note .....	72.90
Snow roller .....	200.00
To Purchase Moore farm .....	700.00
School appropriation .....	5,516.00
Overlay .....	999.56
	<hr/>
	\$22,594.38

## REPORT OF TREASURER.

*To James Welch, Arthur L. Mason, and Robert C. Spaulding,  
Selectmen of Tamworth:*

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully submit the following statement of the receipts and disbursements of the treasurer for the year ending January 31, 1918.

DR.

Cash in hands of treasurer, Feb. 15, 1917 .....	\$5,371.40
Resident assessment .....	10,316.32
Non-Resident assessment .....	12,278.06
Savings bank tax .....	1,007.74
Literary funds .....	108.72
Conway National Bank on note .....	1,000.00
Conway National Bank on note .....	1,000.00

Cenway National Bank on note.....	\$2,000.00
Trunk Line maintenance .....	1,328.25
Trunk Line construction .....	2,302.62
Bounties .....	29.20
Excise commission fees .....	17.78
Received from Ellis R. Sanborn, damages.....	90.51
Received from Thomas Boyd, 1-3 bbl. cement ...	1.00
Received from William Ellery, culverts .....	32.00
Received from George A. Moore, for buildings ..	75.00
Taxes not listed .....	93.40
Dog licenses, 1917 .....	79.80
John A. Lord, undertaker, account burial expense	20.00
New England Road Machine Co. ....	16.50
	<hr/>
	\$37,168.60

CR.

## PAID BY SELECTMEN'S ORDERS.

## SUMMER HIGHWAY BILLS.

Sumner H. Gilman, surveyor.

Order. No.		
65	F. O. Hobbs .....	\$40.00
84	James Welch .....	1.25
127	Sumner Gilman .....	303.43
128	Sumner Gilman .....	9.90
300	J. S. Hayford .....	33.00
173	F. O. Hobbs .....	9.50
232	W. S. Gardner .....	10.30
		<hr/>
		\$407.38

Ernest S. Mason, surveyor.

Order. No.		
23	R. C. Spaulding .....	\$5.00
117	Ernest S. Mason .....	162.00

Order No.		
149	Ernest S. Mason .....	\$344.45
164	S. E. Perkins .....	3.20
172	Onslow Ross .....	2.25
178	Ernest S. Mason .....	72.40
191	Ernest S. Mason .....	106.11
192	E. G. Tilton .....	4.00
216	R. E. Arling .....	10.00
221	Ed. Hammond .....	16.00
235	R. C. Spaulding .....	106.17
240	Ansel Cummings .....	5.00
251	James Bickford .....	3.37
279	A. R. Bennett .....	9.00
311	T. J. Preston, gravel .....	5.00
		<hr/>
		\$853.95

## ROAD MACHINE REPAIRS.

Order. No.		
64	United Construction Co., 1 blade .....	\$20.00
152	New England Road Machine Co., blades and bolts .....	16.50
186	New England Road Machine Co. ....	16.50
		<hr/>
		\$53.00

William H. Perkins, surveyor.

Order. No.		
9	J. B. Lord .....	\$4.00
105	W. H. Perkins .....	138.65
137	W. H. Perkins .....	126.70
144	G. H. Bryant .....	2.50
190	W. H. Perkins .....	3.00
211	W. H. Perkins .....	113.40
282	J. B. Lord .....	10.00
		<hr/>
		\$398.25



## Frank P. Evans, surveyor.

Order. No.		
112	Frank P. Evans .....	\$170.45
113	Frank P. Evans .....	8.00
129	Frank P. Evans .....	29.25
131	Frank P. Evans .....	199.49
132	Frank P. Evans .....	8.80
159	Frank P. Evans .....	7.50
160	Frank P. Evans .....	19.50
171	Frank P. Evans .....	62.18
193	Frank P. Evans .....	45.11
		<hr/>
		\$550.26

## MAINTENANCE OF WHITTIER ROAD.

## S. L. Young, surveyor.

No. Order		
91	A. Mason .....	\$86.75
78	Stanley L. Young .....	49.40
98	Stanley L. Young .....	85.46
114	A. Mason .....	64.20
125	Stanley L. Young .....	79.09
138	Stanley L. Young .....	165.51
155	Stanley L. Young .....	88.70
156	A. Mason .....	3.00
175	Stanley L. Young .....	138.95
198	Stanley L. Young .....	92.96
204	Stanley L. Young .....	66.38
212	Stanley L. Young .....	133.37
265	Stanley L. Young .....	10.95
357	Stanley L. Young .....	12.00
		<hr/>
		\$1,076.63

## MAINTENANCE EAST SIDE TRUNK LINE.

Albert J. Fortier, surveyor.

Order No.		
213	214 215 Albert J. Fortier .....	\$212.12
110	Albert J. Fortier .....	124.00
133	Albert J. Fortier .....	135.75
161	Albert J. Fortier .....	67.53
176	Albert J. Fortier .....	128.29
196	Albert J. Fortier .....	177.06
250	Albert J. Fortier .....	96.65
197	Albert J. Fortier .....	14.00
		<hr/>
		\$956.00

## MAINTENANCE EAST SIDE TRUNK LINE.

Frank Eldridge, surveyor.

Order No.		
77	Frank Eldridge .....	\$8.95
99	Frank Eldridge .....	21.78
138	Frank Eldridge .....	38.00
154	Frank Eldridge .....	51.78
179	Frank Eldridge .....	25.66
205	Frank Eldridge .....	52.89
234	Frank Eldridge .....	79.00
261	Frank Eldridge .....	49.80
		<hr/>
		\$327.86

## CONSTRUCTION OF WHITTIER ROAD.

Alphonse Mason, surveyor.

Order No.		
86	Alphonso Mason .....	\$114.00
90	Alphonso Mason .....	155.51
115	Alphonso Mason .....	99.50
124	Alphonso Mason .....	140.00
141	Alphonso Mason .....	140.64
142	Alphonso Mason .....	146.50
147	Alphonso Mason .....	193.76
157	Alphonso Mason .....	15.48
174	Alphonso Mason .....	279.14
183	Alphonso Mason .....	47.25
184	Alphonso Mason .....	270.16
201	Alphonso Mason .....	576.00
202	Alphonso Mason .....	427.88
203	Alphonso Mason .....	417.58
206	Alphonso Mason .....	325.42
228	Alphonso Mason .....	6.75
243	Alphonso Mason .....	9.60
245	Alphonso Mason .....	391.65
247	Alphonso Mason .....	128.76
248	Alphonso Mason .....	114.99
		<hr/>
		\$4,000.57

## WINTER HIGHWAY BILLS.

Order. No.		
2.	E. G. Clark.....	\$10.50
10	John D. Boyden .....	4.50
19	G. Walter Gallup .....	34.00
21	S. E. Perkins .....	6.30
22	R. C. Spaulding .....	38.00
30	Thomas Boyd .....	15.30
31	G. H. Bryant .....	3.00
34	E. G. Clark .....	8.50



Order No.		
37	W. A. Stone .....	\$4.50
45	W. H. Whiting .....	10.00
47	Edwin Bookholz .....	2.00
50	Walter Berry .....	.60
53	S. E. Perkins .....	3.85
57	E. F. Currier, repairing roller .....	30.00
58	E. F. Currier .....	85.00
59	E. F. Currier .....	123.50
66	R. C. Spaulding .....	15.68
74	E. G. Clark .....	2.75
75	Lester Moody .....	18.25
94	George H. Bryant .....	2.50
100	F. A. Whiting .....	8.00
104	W. H. Perkins .....	11.00
111	E. S. Hammond .....	24.50
143	G. Walter Gallup .....	10.37
260	E. S. Blodgett .....	30.00
264	James Welch .....	3.87
272	E. D. Henderson .....	31.00
275	E. D. Henderson .....	10.50
281	F. A. Whiting .....	8.00
286	R. C. Spaulding .....	28.15
289	John D. Boyden .....	20.00
290	W. A. Stone .....	16.50
291	Thomas Boyd .....	17.50
292	H. J. Pascoe .....	65.00
298	E. S. Blodgett .....	72.00
299	G. H. Bryant .....	24.75
304	J. C. Goodwin .....	62.80
306	Roberts Bros. ....	100.00
307	Fred J. Bickford .....	54.25
309	A. R. Bennett .....	9.25
310	E. D. Henderson .....	48.00
326	R. C. Spaulding .....	65.00
329	Hiram Mason .....	4.00
330	H. M. Gilman .....	102.50
338	Lester Moody .....	4.50

Order No.		
340	S. E. Perkins .....	\$9.45
342	W. H. Perkins .....	60.75
346	William H. Johnson.....	20.40
347	J. L. Downs .....	2.50
344	Frank Arling .....	30.14
345	David F. Arling .....	4.50
350	James Welch .....	11.75
361	E. F. Currier .....	353.70

---

\$1,743.36

### BRIDGE BILLS.

Order No.		
73	Frank P. Evans .....	\$195.01
107	W. H. Perkins.....	137.15
110	E. S. Hammond.....	5.50
170	Frank P. Evans .....	18.94
237	A. E. Long .....	16.78
305	H. L. Osgood .....	12.35
343	W. H. Whiting .....	20.00
312	L. C. Prescott & Co.....	7.05
269	W. N. Mason .....	248.95

---

\$661.73

### CONSTRUCTION OF SO. TAMWORTH BRIDGE.

Order No.		
180	J. Herbert Seavey, reinforcing iron.....	\$14.56
182-187	A. L. Hale, construction as per contract .....	804.00
200	W. H. Whiting, grading.....	60.00
207	B. & M. R. R., freight charges.....	1.17
208	James Welch, teaming.....	2.50
122	James Welch, teaming.....	2.50
224	United Construction Co., beam bridge..	600.00
225	John F. Chick & Son, cement.....	46.75
226	F. S. Lord, cement.....	30.25
227	J. Herbert Seavey, reinforcing iron.....	5.85

Order No.		
229	B. & M. R. R., freight charges .....	\$5.44
231	E. L. Mason, oil and labor.....	6.92
236	H. M. Gilman, teaming.....	31.50
246	Alphonso Mason, cash paid for labor on concrete floor .....	48.50
296	A. L. Mason, teaming .....	10.50
		<hr/>
		\$1,670.44

## WATERING TROUGHS.

Order No.		
13	Edwin Remick, M. D., 1916.....	\$3.00
222	Charles Drew, 1917.....	3.00
223	E. F. Pilsbury, 1917.....	3.00
273	E. D. Henderson, 1917.....	3.00
280	F. A. Whiting, 1917 .....	3.00
294	A. L. Mason, 1917.....	3.00
		<hr/>
		\$18.00

## SCHOOLS.

Order. No.		
17	Mary C. Fall, treasurer, balance appro- priation for 1916 .....	\$233.20
83	Mary C. Fall, treasurer .....	1,000.00
108	Mary C. Fall, treasurer .....	900.00
109	Mary C. Fall, balance dog license, 1916...	122.40
189	Mary C. Fall, treasurer .....	1,000.00
199	Mary C. Fall, treasurer .....	150.00
217	Mary C. Fall, treasurer .....	500.00
218	Mary C. Fall, treasurer .....	500.00
328	Mary C. Fall, treasurer .....	1,000.00
355	Mary C. Fall, treasurer .....	646.72
		<hr/>
		\$6,052.32

## TOWN POOR.

Order No.		
1	John A. Lord, undertaker, burial expenses,	\$46.36
12	Edwin Remick, M. D., Edwin Pennell...	11.00
14	Edwin Remick, M. D., Phebe Dow, 1916..	14.50
18	Rose Brown, board of Phebe Dow.....	10.00
20	Annie Perkins, board of Clifford child....	16.00
46	Rose Brown .....	16.00
52	Annie Perkins .....	10.00
61	Eva L. Pollard, Phebe Dow .....	5.70
62	Eva L. Pollard, Clifford child .....	8.70
79	Rose Brown .....	12.00
81	Annie Perkins .....	8.00
96	Rose Brown .....	12.00
103	Eva L. Pollard, John Moody .....	22.02
134	Rose Brown .....	15.00
135	Annie Perkins .....	18.00
151	Rose Brown .....	12.00
163	Annie Perkins .....	8.00
168	Eva L. Pollard, Phebe Dow .....	5.55
169	Eva L. Pollard, John Moody .....	20.88
177	Rose Brown .....	12.00
194	Rose Brown .....	23.00
219	Rose Brown .....	12.00
238	Rose Brown .....	12.00
256	Rose Brown .....	15.00
266	L. C. Prescott & Co., Whiting family.....	23.55
268	Annie Perkins .....	44.00
270	D. Frank Horn, M. D., medical attendance to Whiting children .....	2.00
277	Eva L. Pollard, Clifford child .....	3.55
278	Eva L. Pollard, Phebe Dow .....	5.10
276	Eva L. Pollard, John Moody .....	18.23
283	Eva L. Pollard, John Moody .....	27.04
334	Edwin Remick, M. D., Phebe Dow .....	14.00
337	Edwin Remick, M. D., Clifford child.....	5.00



Order No.		
339	Rose Brown .....	\$12.00
341	Annie Perkins .....	8.00
301	L. C. Prescott & Co. ....	21.38
356	Eva L. Pollard, John Moody .....	12.70
		<hr/>
		\$542.86

## CEMETERY TRUST FUND.

Order No.		
195	Edmund T. Gilman, trustee .....	\$5.25
241	L. H. Vittum, trustee .....	53.37
252	William Weeks, trustee .....	61.43
		<hr/>
		\$120.05

## BOUNTY BILLS.

Order No.		
11	Harold Trask, hedgehogs .....	\$2.20
29	Fred Whiting, hedgehogs .....	2.40
32	Ivan Boyd, hedgehogs .....	.60
33	Victor L. Whiting, hedgehogs .....	.80
93	T. R. Pascoe, hedgehogs .....	.20
130	Sumner H. Gilman, wildcat .....	2.00
136	Millett H. Perkins, hedgehog .....	.20
165	Millett H. Perkins, hedgehog .....	.20
166	Andrew Buxton, hedgehog .....	.20
259	John Sauliner, hedgehog .....	1.20
267	Millett Perkins, hedgehog .....	.20
316	Walter Bookholz, hedgehog .....	.60
		<hr/>
		\$10.80

## NOTES AND INTEREST.

Order No.		
239	Ella M. Knowlton, part note .....	\$75.00
255	Conway National Bank, note and interest,	1,016.67
253	Conway National Bank, note and interest,	1,013.33
254	Conway National Bank, note and interest,	2,040.00
318	Sarah H. Davis, interest on note .....	40.36
319	Hannah O. Wiggin, interest on note.....	20.16

Order No.		
320	W. H. Tilton, interest on note .....	\$25.21
321	Ella M. Knowlton, interest on note .....	10.08
		<hr/>
		\$4,240.81

## LIBRARY APPROPRIATION.

Order No.		
188	George E. Gilman, trustee .....	\$100.00

## RAILING DANGEROUS PLACES.

Order No.		
72	Charles S. Drew .....	\$98.28
76	Charles S. Drew .....	10.58
106	W. H. Perkins .....	18.90
220	Edward Hammond .....	13.90
		<hr/>
		\$141.66

## MEMORIAL DAY APPROPRIATION.

Order No.		
116	Elias Downs .....	\$15.00

## INSURANCE.

Order No.		
71	S. A. Hidden, agent, part premium on town house .....	\$40.00
95	S. A. Hidden, balance premium on town house .....	40.00
43	S. A. Hidden, premium on library building,	30.00
		<hr/>
		\$110.00

## TRAMPS.

Order No.		
41	Ansel Cummings .....	\$2.50
242	Ansel Cummings .....	5.00
		<hr/>
		\$7.50

## SNOW ROLLER.

Order No.		
311	F. L. Blake, snow roller .....	\$145.00
314	Boston & Maine, freight on roller .....	19.36
		<hr/>
		\$164.36

## BONDS FOR TOWN OFFICERS.

Order No.		
150	Samuel A. Hidden, agent, H. L. Wiggin	\$9.00
	Samuel A. Hidden, agent, Mary C. Fall..	4.50
	Samuel A. Hidden, agent, E. S. Mason ...	2.50
	Samuel A. Hidden, agent, S. H. Gilman..	2.50
	Samuel A. Hidden, agent, W. H. Perkins.	2.50
	Samuel A. Hidden, agent, C. C. Smith...	1.50
288	Samuel A. Hidden, agent, L. H. Vittum..	1.00
		<hr/>
		\$35.50

## TAXES ASSUMED BY TOWN.

Order No.		
353	Charles C. Smith, collector .....	\$33.88
352	Walter Berry, tax .....	2.95
351	John Moody, tax .....	8.65
		<hr/>
		\$45.48

## ABATEMENTS.

Order No.		
351	Charles C. Smith, collector:	
	Galeucia, Frank E., poll, left town.....	\$2.00
	La Montagne, Fred, over 70 years.....	2.00
	Harris, Ellsworth, left town .....	2.00
	Stearns, Aldo M., minor .....	2.00
	Ross, Harold, paid in Freedom .....	2.00
	Maynadier, Geo. H., overtaxed .....	85.50

Order  
No.

354	Scott, Mary P., timber in Albany, shown selectmen by error .....	\$28.50
	Trafton, Geo. B., taxed twice .....	6.65
		<hr/>
		\$130.65

ELLIS R. SANBORN *vs.* TAMWORTH.

Leslie P. Snow, counsel .....	\$237.71
Sewall W. Abbott, counsel .....	201.52
Sherman E. Piper, civil engineer .....	43.00
William Homes, photographer .....	12.73
Arthur W. Chandler, sheriff and witness fees ..	60.02
Mrs. L. E. Hanson, board of civil engineer....	4.75
	<hr/>
	\$559.73

## ABBIE F. AND GEO. A. MOORE.

Leslie P. Snow, counsel.....	\$78.00
Sewall W. Abbott, counsel .....	59.00
	<hr/>
Abbie F. Moore, part of Moore farm.....	700.00
	<hr/>
	\$837.00

## STATE AND COUNTY TAX.

State tax .....	\$2,108.00
County tax .....	2,481.40
	<hr/>
	\$4,589.40

## MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Order  
No.

6	Henry B. Robinson, labor, material for re- pairs of town house, 1916 .....	\$29.53
---	---	---------



Order No.		
8	Herbert H. Hobbs, order books .....	\$3.00
15	Edwin Remick, M. D., recording births and deaths .....	6.00
21	John B. Clarke Co., printing town rereports .....	46.75
25	H. L. Wiggin, board of town officers .....	19.50
35	F. R. Eastman, recording deed .....	.87
38	Edson Eastman, town order book .....	.80
39	F. R. Eastman, recording deed .....	.81
40	George Underhill, moving wood .....	.50
44	Edson Eastman, supplies for town clerk, and selectmen .....	19.10
49	Lillian Stone, cleaning town office .....	2.75
61	Albert Lane, painting signs .....	1.50
55	Fred Bunker, cleaning town house .....	2.00
56	J. N. Robertson, wood for town house .....	7.00
60	E. F. Currier, express .....	.75
63	Era L. Pollard, material for repairs of town hall, 1916 .....	9.70
68	A. L. Mason, expense .....	4.08
70	R. C. Spaulding, expense .....	8.72
80	Conway National Bank, stamps for select- men .....	3.50
87	A. L. Mason, expense .....	5.00
89	James Mitzer, supplies for town clerks office .....	.70
92	V. D. White, use of auto .....	8.00
101	A. L. Mason, expense .....	6.08
120	H. L. Wiggin, board of town officers .....	24.25
121	James Welch, expense .....	5.77
145	Mary A. Moore, 4 weeks quarantined .....	28.00
146	H. D. Bryson, M. D., fumigation at Mary Moore's .....	10.00
158	E. Howard Clock Co., oil for town clock ..	1.25
162	Lester E. Moody, claim on growth of Phebe Dow place .....	75.00
181	E. C. Eastman, supplies for office .....	2.61
209	James Welch, expense .....	4.23

Order No.		
230	V. D. White, auto hire .....	\$10.00
233	James O. Gerry, revenue on town hall ....	11.46
257	W. A. Hill, winding clock .....	10.00
262	James Welch, expense .....	1.60
274	E. D. Henderson, mowing cemetery .....	10.00
295	A. L. Mason, expense .....	5.40
308	Harold Trask, damage to auto .....	10.00
315	E. C. Eastman, town order book .....	2.56
323	H. L. Wiggin, board of town officers .....	10.85
324	H. L. Wiggin, expense .....	3.76
325	R. C. Spaulding, expense .....	36.07
331	A. S. Fall, supplies for town office .....	.85
332	Edwin Remick, M. D., recording births and deaths .....	3.75
336	Edwin Remick, M. D., secretary of board of health, expense, fumigation of school houses, fumigating and placarding resi- dence .....	67.50
313	John S. Quimby, sheriff fee .....	5.00
360	A. R. Robinson, postage .....	5.00
359	A. R. Robinson, vital statistics returned to state .....	5.25
362	E. F. Currier, express .....	3.90
		<hr/>
		\$540.76

### SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Order No.		
3	F. P. Evans, auditor .....	\$2.00
4	S. O. Kimball, auditor .....	2.00
5	F. P. Evans, ballot clerk .....	4.00
16	Edwin Remick, M. D., secretary board of health, 1916 .....	25.00
26	Ezra Nickerson, selectman .....	22.00
27	A. L. Mason, balance 1916 .....	22.00
28	S. A. Hidden, balance 1916 .....	25.00

Order No.		
42	Ansel Cummings, police .....	\$3.50
67	A. L. Mason, selectman .....	32.50
88	A. L. Mason, selectman .....	30.00
82	James Welch, selectman .....	27.50
69	James Welch, selectman .....	34.61
85	James Welch, selectman .....	18.25
102	A. L. Mason, selectman .....	32.00
118	R. C. Spaulding, selectman .....	75.00
119	H. L. Wiggin, ballot clerk .....	2.00
123	James Welch, selectman .....	27.50
185	Calvin Knowlton, supervisor .....	12.00
210	James Welch, selectman .....	18.25
241	Ansel Cummings, police .....	15.00
249	Charles C. Smith, collector .....	225.00
258	W. A. Hill, dog constable .....	15.00
263	James Welch, selectman .....	16.35
271	E. D. Henderson, ballot clerk .....	2.00
287	R. C. Spaulding, selectman .....	50.00
293	A. L. Mason selectman .....	28.00
303	J. C. Goodwin, supervisor .....	5.00
293	AL.. Wason, selectman .....	28.00
322	H. L. Wiggin, treasurer .....	50.00
321	R. C. Spaulding, selectman .....	15.75
335	Edwin Remick, M. D., secretary board of health, 1917 .....	6.00
349	James Welch, selectman .....	7.75
358	Addison R. Robinson, town clerk .....	40.00
		<hr/>
		\$895.96

Tamworth, N. H., Feb. 9, 1918.

We certify that we have this day examined the accounts of the treasurer and selectmen of the town of Tamworth and find them properly vouched and correctly cast.

S. O. KIMBALL,  
F. P. EVANS,  
*Auditors of Tamworth.*

## FINANCIAL REPORT.

## BALANCE SHEET.

Fiscal Year ending January 31, 1918.

## ASSETS.

Cash .....	\$5,311.33
Accounts due to the town:	
Due from state—	
(a) Joint highway accounts .....	589.13
Other bills due town—	
(a) Bounties on wild animals, .....	\$29.20
(b) Notes .....	76.70
(c) Bridge plank sold .....	5.14
Taxes not collected—	
(a) Levy of 1913.....	213.49
(b) Levy of 1915.....	218.60
(c) Levy of 1916.....	12.06
(d) Levy of 1917.....	45.48
Bridge plank on hand ....	100.00
	<hr/>
	700.67
Total assets .....	\$6,601.13

## LIABILITIES.

## Accounts owed by town:

Due to school districts, dog licenses.....	\$79.80
Long term notes outstanding.....	2,775.00
Trust funds, amount of principal used by town	3,505.00
Interest on Trust funds for Fowler's Mills cemetery .....	15.75
	<hr/>
Total liabilities .....	\$6,375.55
Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus)....	225.58
	<hr/>
Grand total .....	\$6,601.13



## RECEIPTS.

## Current Revenue:

## From local taxes—

Amount committed to collector,	\$22,594.38
Less discounts and abatements,	130.65
Less uncollected, .....	45.48

---

Property and poll taxes, current year.. \$22,418.25

## From state—

For Trunk line maintenance.....	1,328.25
For Trunk line construction.....	2,302.62
Savings bank tax.....	1,007.74
Literary fund .....	108.72
Liquor licenses .....	11.18
Bounties, 1916 .....	29.20

## From local sources except taxes—

Dog licenses .....	79.80
From other local sources.....	328.71

---

Total current revenue receipts..... \$27,621.07

## Receipts other than current revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year .....	\$4,000.00
---	------------

---

Total receipts from all sources..... \$31,621.07

Cash on hand at beginning of year..... 5,371.40

---

Grand total .....

## PAYMENTS.

For year ending January 31, 1918.

## Current maintenance expenses:

## General government—

Town officers' salaries .....	\$895.96
Insurance .....	110.00

Protection of persons and property—	
Police department, care of tramps .....	\$7.50
Bounties .....	10.80
Highways and bridges—	
Trunk line maintenance.....	2,360.49
General expenses of highway department, including watering troughs.....	6,662.39
Education—	
Libraries .....	100.00
Charities—	
Town poor .....	542.86
Patriotic purposes—	
Aid to G. A. R., and Memorial Day exer- cises .....	15.00
Unclassified—	
Legal expenses .....	696.73
Miscellaneous bills .....	1,240.76
Bonds for town officials.....	35.50
Total current maintenance expenses.....	<hr/> \$12,617.99
Interest:	
Paid on temporary loans in an- ticipation of taxes.....	\$70.00
Paid on long term notes.....	95.81
Paid on principal of trust funds used by town.....	120.05
Total interest payments.....	<hr/> \$285.86
Outlay for new construction and permanent improvements:	
Trunk line construction.....	\$4,000.57

## Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes .....	\$4,000.00
Payments on long term notes...	75.00

---

Total indebtedness payments..... \$4,075.00

## Payments to other governmental divisions:

Taxes paid to state .....	\$2,108.00
Taxes paid to county.....	2,481.40
Payments to school districts....	6,052.32

---

Total payments to other governmental  
divisions ..... \$10,641.72

---

Total payments for all purposes..... \$31,681.14  
Cash on hand at end of year..... 5,311.33

---

Grand total ..... \$36,992.47

## REPORT OF TOWN LIBRARY.

Received from town .....	\$100.00
Balance due from 1916 .....	\$8.80
Paid Librarian .....	50.00
Rochester Courier Pub. Co. ....	3.17
For insurance .....	15.00
For repairs .....	5.15
For cleaning .....	1.00
For supplies .....	3.25
For small bills .....	1.85
Loung, Short & Hammon .....	11.78
	<hr/>
	\$100.00

## REPORT OF RIVERSIDE CEMETERY.

CR.

1917—

Cash on hand .....	\$44.19
Cash from town .....	53.37
Cash for grass .....	8.00
	<hr/>
	\$105.56

DR.

Paid L. D. Bartlett & Son, for fertilizer.....	\$33.00
Paid for work .....	14.00
Paid for cutting grass .....	8.00
Cash on hand .....	50.56
	<hr/>
	\$105.56

Respectfully submitted,  
LEONARD H. VITTUM,  
*Trustee.*

## REPORT OF CHOCORUA CEMETERY.

CR.

1917—

Cash on hand .....	\$28.81
Cash from town .....	61.45
	<hr/>
	\$90.26

DR.

Paid for labor .....	\$74.94
Cash on hand .....	15.32
	<hr/>
	\$90.26

Respectfully submitted,  
WILLIAM WEEKS,  
*Trustee.*



## CEMETERY REPORT.

CR.

1917—

Cash on hand .....	\$2.00
Cash from town .....	5.25
	<hr/>
	\$7.25

DR.

Painting fence, righting stones .....	\$4.00
Cash on hand .....	3.25
	<hr/>
	\$7.25

Respectfully submitted,

EDMUND T. GILMAN,

*Trustee.*

# BUDGET OF TOWN OF TAMWORTH.

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

### Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year, Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous

SOURCES OF REVENUE.	Actual Revenue Previous Year, 1917.	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year, 1918.
<b>From State:</b>		
Savings Bank Tax.....	\$1,007.74	\$1,007.74
Liquor Licenses .....	17.78	.....
<b>For Highways:</b>		
(b) For Trunk Line Maintenance.....	1,328.25	2,500.00
Bounties .....	29.20	29.20
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</b>		
New England Road Machine Co.....	16.50	.....
Ellis R. Sanborn, damages.....	90.51	.....
Material Sold .....	33.00	.....
Buildings Sold .....	75.00	.....
Taxes Not Listed.....	93.70	.....
On Account of Assistance.....	20.00	.....
<b>From Poll Taxes.....</b>	<b>526.00</b>	<b>500.00</b>
<b>Revenue Applicable Only to New Construction and Improvements:</b>		
<b>From State:</b>		
(b) For Trunk Line Highway Construction	2,302.62	2,612.25
<b>Revenue Which Must Be Paid to Other Govern- mental Divisions .....</b>	<b>188.52</b>	<b>250.00</b>
<b>TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES.....</b>	<b>\$5,728.82</b>	<b>\$6,899.19</b>
<b>Amount Raised by Property Taxes.....</b>	<b>22,068.38</b>	<b>19,525.50</b>
<b>TOTAL REVENUES .....</b>	<b>\$27,797.20</b>	<b>\$26,424.69</b>

### EFFECT ON TAX RATE.

Assessed Valuation Previous Year.....	\$1,161,494.00
Estimated Decrease in Assessed Valuation.....	494.00
Estimated Assessed Valuation Ensuing Year.....	\$1,161,000.00
Amount Required by Budget to be Raised by Property Taxes..	\$19,525.50
Tax Rate Ensuing Year per \$100 of Valuation.....	\$1.68

Every appropriation of \$1,000 in addition to the estimates of this budget will raise the tax rate \$0.08 per \$100 valuation.

**TAMWORTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE.**

**February 1, 1918, to January 31, 1919, Compared with Actual Year, February 16, 1917, to January 31, 1918.**

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES.	Actual Expenditures Previous Year, 1917.	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year, 1918.
<b>Current Maintenance Expenses:</b>		
General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries.....	\$895.96	\$875.00
Care and Supplies for Town Hall.....	7.50	25.00
Bridges .....	661.73	1,500.00
Trunk Line Maintenance:		
State's Contribution, \$1,700.....	2,360.49	2,500.00
Town's Contribution, \$900.....	.....	1,000.00
Town Maintenance:		
Summer Highways .....	2,262.84	2,000.00
Winter Highways .....	1,743.36	1,500.00
General Expenses of Highway Department...	324.02	50.00
Education:		
Libraries .....	100.00	100.00
Charities:		
Town Poor .....	542.86	500.00
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations.....	15.00	15.00
<b>Interest:</b>		
On Temporary Loans.....	70.00	70.00
On Long-term Notes.....	95.81	100.00
On Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town..	120.05	125.00
<b>Outlay for New Construction and Permanent..</b>		
Improvements:		
Bridges:		
Town Construction, So. Tamworth Bridge.	1,670.44	.....
Trunk Line Construction:		
State's Contribution, \$2,520.....	4,000.57	2,612.25
Town's Contribution, \$1,680.....	.....	1,741.50
<b>Indebtedness:</b>		
Payments on Principal of Debt:		
(b) Long Term Notes.....	75.00	.....
<b>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:</b>		
State Taxes .....	2,108.00	1,984.00
County Taxes .....	2,481.40	2,400.00
Payments to School Districts.....	6,052.32	5,600.00
Moore Farm .....	700.00	.....
Insurance Premiums .....	110.00	.....
Bonds for Town Officers.....	35.50	40.00
Miscellaneous Accounts .....	540.76	400.00
Legal Expenses .....	696.73	.....
Taxes Assessed by Town.....	45.48	.....
Abatements .....	130.65	.....
Bounty on Wild Animals.....	10.80	.....

<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES .....</b>	<b>\$27,857.27</b>	<b>\$25,137.75</b>
---------------------------------	--------------------	--------------------

Tamworth

## LETTER.

NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

*Division of Statistics and Accounts.*

Concord, N. H., Jan. 2, 1918.

*To School Boards and Superintendents:*

The attention of school officers is called to an amendment to the Public Statutes by the last General Court.

"The fiscal year of town and special school districts beginning February 16, 1917, shall end August 31, 1918, and thereafter the fiscal and the scholastic year shall end August 31, annually."

This change was approved by the Governor on April 4, 1917. Practically all school meetings had been held and in few instances would the appropriations be sufficient to carry on the schools for the extra six months. Your attention is called to this matter so that there may be sufficient appropriations made at the coming school meetings to support the schools until August, 1919.

## SCHOOL MEETING.

It is advised that the report of the school board concerning conditions of schools of the district be made to the district at the annual school meeting. This may well include a report of the finances to date of meeting but it is to be noted that as the year does not close until August 31, the annual financial report cannot be made before that date.

This annual financial report should be presented at the school meeting of 1919.

HARRIET L. HUNTRESS,

*Deputy State Superintendent  
in Charge of Division.*



# VITAL STATISTICS.

# Births Registered in the Town of Tamworth, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1917

Date	Name of Child	No. of Child		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Male	Female					
1917								
Jan. 24	Mary Etta Mason	5	F	Clinton C. Mason	Flora V. McPherson	Carpenter	Tamworth	Somerville, Mass.
Apr. 25	Emmie A. Lamountagne	2	F	Joseph E. Lamountagne	Lenora B. Arling	Laborer	Ossipee	Tamworth
June 1	Fortier	7	M	Albert J. Fortier	Sellie Hobbs	Laborer	Ossipee	Albany
July 3	Walter Lang Moody	1	M	Joseph A. Moody	Sellie Williams	Laborer	Boston, Mass.	Ossipee
July 15	Charles Milton	8	M	Illegitimate	Gladys I. Jeffers	Laborer	Tamworth	Tamworth
July 14	Hobbs	1	M	Albert W. Hobbs	Harriet Swaine	Farmer	Tamworth	Albany
Aug. 23	Hutchins	4	M	Elias W. Hutchins	Isabel E. Osgood	Farmer	Tamworth	Tamworth
Sept. 1	Hutchins	2	M	Clarence E. Hutchins	Ida B. Smith	Laborer	Tamworth	Stowe, Me.
Sept. 22	Harold Franklin Pearl	2	M	Harry W. Pearl	Sadie E. Whiting	Farmer	Porter, Me.	Tamworth
Apr. 9	Kenneth Arthur Brett	1	M	Manley E. Brett	Helen H. Cole	Chauffeur	Otisfield, Me.	Wolfeboro
Apr. 15	Knowlton	1	M	Hayden C. Knowlton	Ira M. Downs	Carpenter	Tamworth	Tamworth
Apr. 16	Chamberlain	3	M	Ralph N. Chamberlain	Florence B. Goodwin	Farmer	Tamworth	Tamworth
Sept. 4	Richard Almond Bunker	11	M	Frederick Bunker	Elsie M. Davis	Laborer	Tamworth	Ossipee
Nov. 18	Davis	2	M	Alva Davis	Florence B. Wiggins	Farmer	Ossipee	Tamworth
Dec. 4	Erwin Nathaniel Gray	2	M	Erwin S. Gray	Hattie Nickerson	Laborer	Madison	Tamworth
Dec. 18	Reed Bracket Gilman	2	M	Reed Bracket Gilman	Maud Thurston	Laborer	Fryeburg, Me.	Shapleigh, Me.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true transcript from the Vital Records of the Town of Tamworth. A. R. ROBINSON, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Tamworth, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1917

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom	Age	Occupation of Each at Time of Marriage	Place of Birth of each	Name of Father add Maiden Name of Mother	No. of Marriage	Name, Official Station and Residence of person by whom married
Jan. 1	Chocorua . . . . .	Clifford K. Davis. . . . .	24	Plumber . . . . .	Ossipee . . . . .	John C. Davis . . . . . Minnie A. Nason. . . . .	1	Herbert E. Wyman Clergyman Chocorua
		Carrie May Chick . . . . .	26	. . . . .	Tamworth. . . . .	Charles F. Chick . . . . .	1	
Jan. 25	Moultonboro . . . . .	Walter C. Hutchins. . . . .	19	Farmer. . . . .	Tamworth . . . . .	Elvira Durrell . . . . . William N. Hutchins. . . . .	1	L. C. Carter Clergyman Moultonboro
		Grace Robarge. . . . .	16	. . . . .	Melvin . . . . .	Agusta Downs. . . . . Lewis Robarge. . . . .	1	
Dec. 31	Chocorua . . . . .	Charles A. Blaisdell . . . . .	27	U. S. Navy. . . . .	Tamworth . . . . .	Bessie Elliott. . . . . Frank E. Blai-dell. . . . .	1	Herbert Elmer Wyman Clergyman Chocorua
		Lena Wyman. . . . .	29	. . . . .	Balasore, India. . . . .	Annie E. Trepania. . . . . Herbert E. Wyman. . . . .	1	
June 2	Tamworth. . . . .	Russell Welch. . . . .	20	Woodsmen. . . . .	Ossipee . . . . .	Gertrude M. Kneeland. . . . . Peter Welch . . . . .	1	J. E. Gifford, Clergyman, Assisted by A. R. Robinson, Justice, Tamworth
		Hester Clark. . . . .	17	. . . . .	. . . . .	Cora Kimball. . . . . William Clark. . . . .	1	
Nov. 1	Chocorua . . . . .	Somerby C. Follansbee. . . . .	32	Leather Dealer . . . . .	W. Newbury, Ms. . . . .	Elizabeth Wade. . . . . Frank M. Follansbee . . . . .	2	H. E. Wyman Clergyman Chocorua
		Eva M. G. Gould. . . . .	32	. . . . .	Birmingham, Eng. . . . .	Lizzie A. Colby. . . . . Thomas Hawkins. . . . .	2	
Dec. 2	Tamworth. . . . .	Frederick H. Whiting. . . . .	22	Farmer . . . . .	Boston, Mass. . . . .	Hannah Tomay. . . . . Frank A. Whiting. . . . .	..	Edward W. Joffino Clergyman Moultonboro
		Ethel E. Jeffers . . . . .	28	. . . . .	Tamworth . . . . .	Abbie C. Hobson. . . . . Fred L. Jeffers. . . . . Gertrude M. Gilman. . . . .	1	

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true transcript from the Vital Records of the Town of Tamworth. A. R. ROBINSON, Town Clerk.

# Deaths Registered in the Town of Tamworth, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1917

Date	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Male or Female	Single, Married or Widowed	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Cause of Death
		Years	Months	Days							
Jan. 7	Hannah E. Roberts	69	10	8	Albany	F	W	Farmer	James Emery	Mary Brown	Pneumonia
Jan. 8	Allen L. Smith	88	10	6	Tamworth	M	W	Farmer	Simon Smith	Unknown	Pneumonia
Feb. 9	Herbert S. Clough	62	..	..	Tamworth	M	M	Farmer	Thos. Clough	Mary Stockdale	Acute Dilatation H'rt
Feb. 23	George E. Garland	42	6	23	Tamworth	M	M	Farmer	George D. Garland	Jane C. Ross	Pulmonary Phthisis
Mar. 3	Fred F. Varney	18	2	25	Tamworth	M	S	Machinist	George O. Varney	Clara F. Bryer	Pulm'n'y Tuberculosis
Aug. 16	Pike G. Perkins	53	3	7	Jackson	M	W	Farmer	Thos. Perkins	Susan Burham	Senilnitz Carbunkle
Aug. 16	Harriet A. Galucia	83	1	22	Berwick, Me.	F	M	Housewife	John S. Homes	Harriet Horn	Suppurative Nephritis
Sept. 24	Rose C. Leavitt	..	..	..	Chatham	F	W	Housekeeper	— Meader	— Polf	Cerebral Embolism
Oct. 23	Frank P. Moulton	74	5	27	Sandwich	M	W	Farmer	Joshua N. Piper	Eliza Woods	Chronic Nephritis
Nov. 17	Ella Lewis	65	8	24	Portland, Me.	F	M	Machinist	Unknown	Orra L. Laport	Chronic Tocavitation
Nov. 23	Frank Maddocks	67	8	22	Farmington, Me.	M	M	Machinist	Nathaniel Berry	Unknown	Apoplexy
Dec. 10	Alice B. Davis	48	9	22	Tamworth	F	M	Farmer	Charles T. Varney	Abbie J. Blake	Typhoid Tuberculosis
Dec. 16	George O. Varney	54	8	16	West Ossipee	M	M	Farmer	Charles T. Varney	Hannah J. Hutchins	Intestin'l Obstruction

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true transcript from the Vital Records of the Town of Tamworth. A. R. ROBINSON, Town Clerk.







New Hampshire State Library



3 4677 00337656 8